31.06.04 Premium Tax—Required Filings, Payments, Penalties, and Interest

Authority: Insurance Article, §§2-109, 6-101—6-103, and 6-106—6-109, Annotated Code of Maryland

.04 Interest and Penalties.

A. [The Commissioner shall assess] Each taxpayer is subject to the assessment of a penalty of 5 percent of the amount not paid when due and interest at the rate specified in Tax-General Article, §13-604(b)(1), Annotated Code of Maryland, from the date the tax was due until payment is made to the Commissioner when the taxpayer fails to remit or remits less than:

- (1) The amount due with:
- (a) [the] The declaration of estimated annual tax in accordance with Regulation .02C of this chapter; or
- (b) [with each] Each quarterly payment report in accordance with Regulation [.02] .02D of this chapter; or
 - (2) (text unchanged) B.—E. (text unchanged)

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Subtitle 10 HEALTH INSURANCE — GENERAL

31.10.21 Private Review Agents

Authority: Insurance Article, §§2-109(a)(1) and 15-10B-03(h), Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Proposed Action

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The Insurance Commissioner proposes to amend Regulation .03 under COMAR 31.10.21 Private Review Agents.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this action is to repeal the requirement in Regulation .03A that a private review agent shall submit any revisions or modifications of specific criteria to the Commissioner at least 10 days before using the modified specific criteria and standards. This filing requirement is derived from Insurance Article, §15-10B-05(b), Annotated Code of Maryland, which has been repealed by H.B. 798, Ch. 121, Acts of 2016.

Comparison to Federal Standards

There is no corresponding federal standard to this proposed action.

Estimate of Economic Impact

The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities

The proposed action has no impact on individuals with disabilities.

Opportunity for Public Comment

Comments may be sent to Catherine Grason, Director of Regulatory Affairs, Maryland Insurance Administration, 200 St. Paul Place, Ste. 2700, Baltimore, MD 21202, or call 410-468-2201, or email to insuranceregreview.mia@maryland.gov, or fax to 410-468-2020. Comments will be accepted through June 27, 2016. A public hearing has not been scheduled.

.03 Specific Criteria and Standards.

[A. Revisions or Modifications. A private review agent shall submit any revisions or modifications of specific criteria and standards to the Commissioner at least 10 days before using the modified specific criteria and standards while conducting utilization review of proposed or delivered services.]

[B.] A.—[C.] B. (text unchanged)

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